



ARE YOU...

...THE KING OF  
THE DEAD?



# Solo Leveling

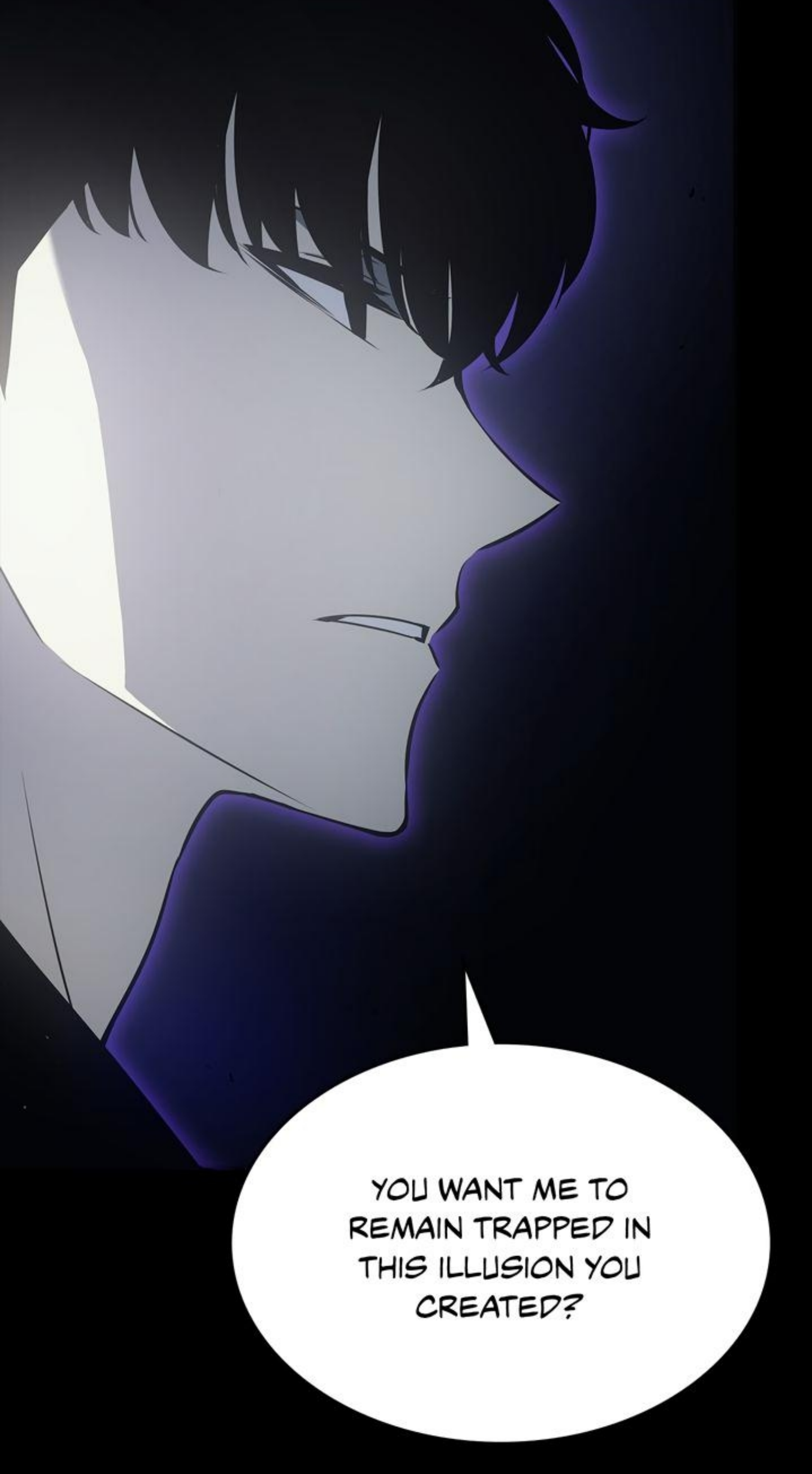
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YOU COULD LIVE  
IN THIS WORLD  
FOREVER IF YOU  
WANTED TO.

IT WOULD BE LIKE  
NEVER WAKING UP  
FROM A HAPPY  
DREAM.





YOU WANT ME TO  
REMAIN TRAPPED IN  
THIS ILLUSION YOU  
CREATED?

NO, I AM NOT THE  
CREATOR OF THIS  
WORLD.

YOU ARE.



I CREATED  
THIS WORLD?

YOUR DESIRE TO  
CORRECT YOUR MISTAKES,  
COMBINED WITH MY  
POWER...



THAT IS WHAT  
CREATED THIS  
WORLD.

THIS IS MY  
DOMAIN.

THIS IS ETERNAL  
SLUMBER...





DEATH.



I HAVE BEEN  
WATCHING YOU FOR  
A LONG TIME. FOR  
FAR LONGER THAN  
YOU MIGHT THINK.

EVEN THOUGH  
YOU WERE CLOSER  
TO DEATH'S DOOR  
THAN ANYONE ELSE,  
YOU DESPERATELY  
RESISTED IT.





I AM THE  
RECORD OF YOUR  
STRUGGLES, THE  
EVIDENCE OF YOUR  
RESISTANCE, AND  
THE REWARD FOR  
YOUR PAIN.

I AM ALSO DEATH,  
ETERNAL SLUMBER,  
AND TERROR.



SWISH

I AM...



...YOU.



WITHIN MY DOMAIN,  
YOU ARE FREE TO DO  
AS YOU PLEASE.







YOU MAY TURN  
ANYTHING THAT IS A  
PART OF MY DOMAIN  
INTO YOURS...





...AND ABSORB  
MY POWERS FROM  
THEM.

WITHER



ALTHOUGH THIS  
IS ONLY POSSIBLE  
WITHIN YOUR OWN  
DOMAIN,

YOU HAVE THE  
ABILITY TO CREATE,  
DESTROY, AND  
CHANGE THE  
WORLD...





IT'S AN  
OMNIPOTENT  
POWER.



SO YOU'RE SAYING  
WE POSSESS THE  
SAME POWER?





I HAVE WAITED  
A LONG TIME TO  
MEET YOU.



I AM THE  
MONARCH OF  
SHADOWS.





THE KING OF THE  
DEAD, WHO RULES  
OVER DEATH...

...AND  
GOVERNS THE  
DEEPEST DEPTHS  
OF DARKNESS.

WHY... ME?



I WILL SHOW  
YOU WHY.



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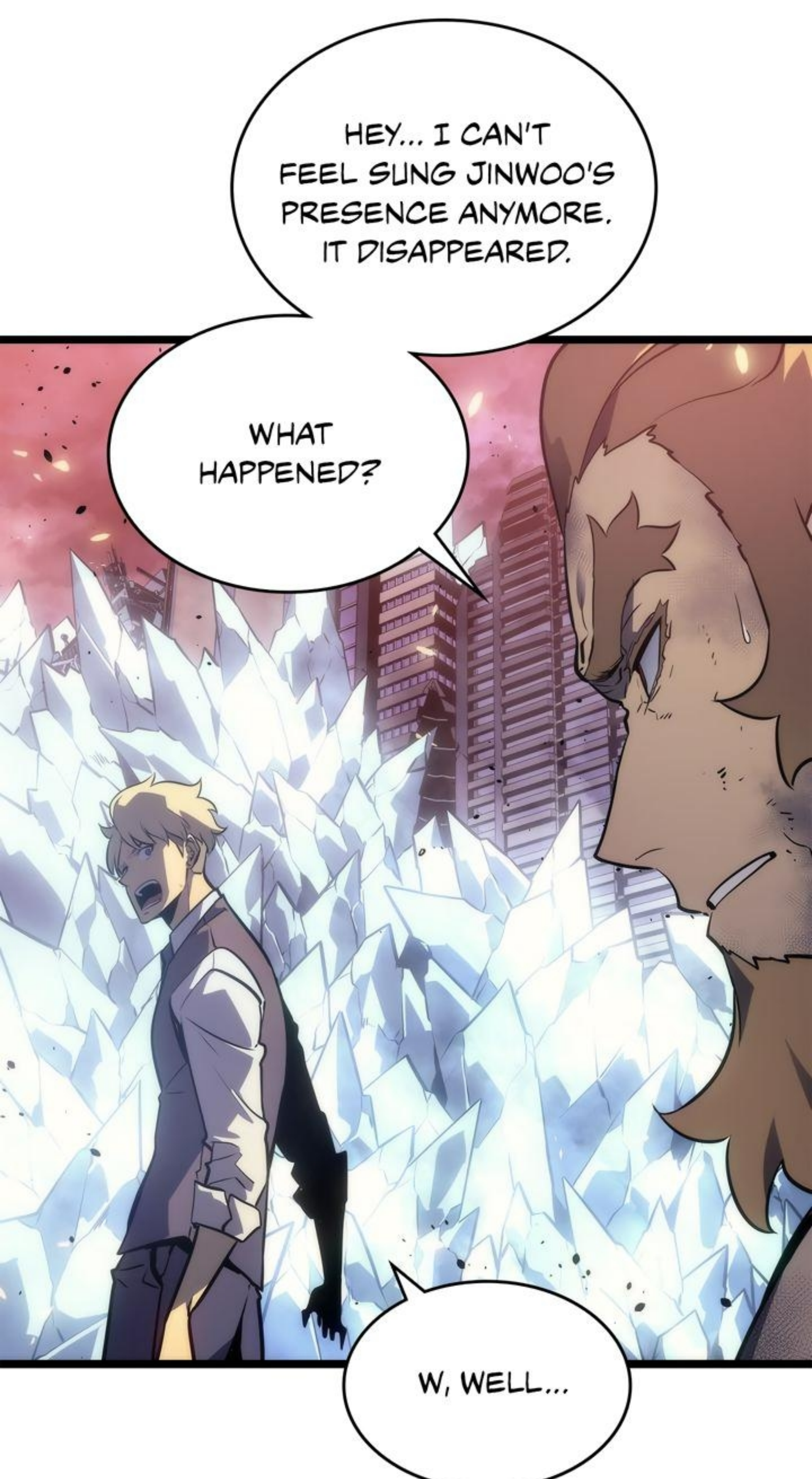


I WILL SHOW YOU  
OUR BEGINNING  
AND END...

...AS WELL AS  
YOUR BEGINNING.













IMPOSSIBLE...


THAT MEANS  
THERE'S NOBODY  
TO STOP THOSE  
BEASTS...



DAMN IT,  
I SHOULDN'T  
HAVE LISTENED  
TO THAT GUY!



MAYBE IT'S NOT TOO  
LATE. WE MIGHT STILL  
HAVE A CHANCE AT  
STOPPING THEM IF WE  
SHELL THEM...!



NO, WE *HAVE* TO  
STOP THEM!

EVEN THE NATIONAL  
LEVEL HUNTERS HAVE  
FAILED, SO THERE'S NO  
GOING BACK NOW!



**PREPARE  
TO FIRE,  
EVERYONE!**



ON MY SIGNAL!

OUR TARGET IS  
THE BEAST THAT  
LOOKS LIKE AN  
ICE ELF!



"BADUM"





**BADUM**

HOW...

HOW CAN  
THIS BE...?!

**BADUM**

**BADUM**

**BADUM**

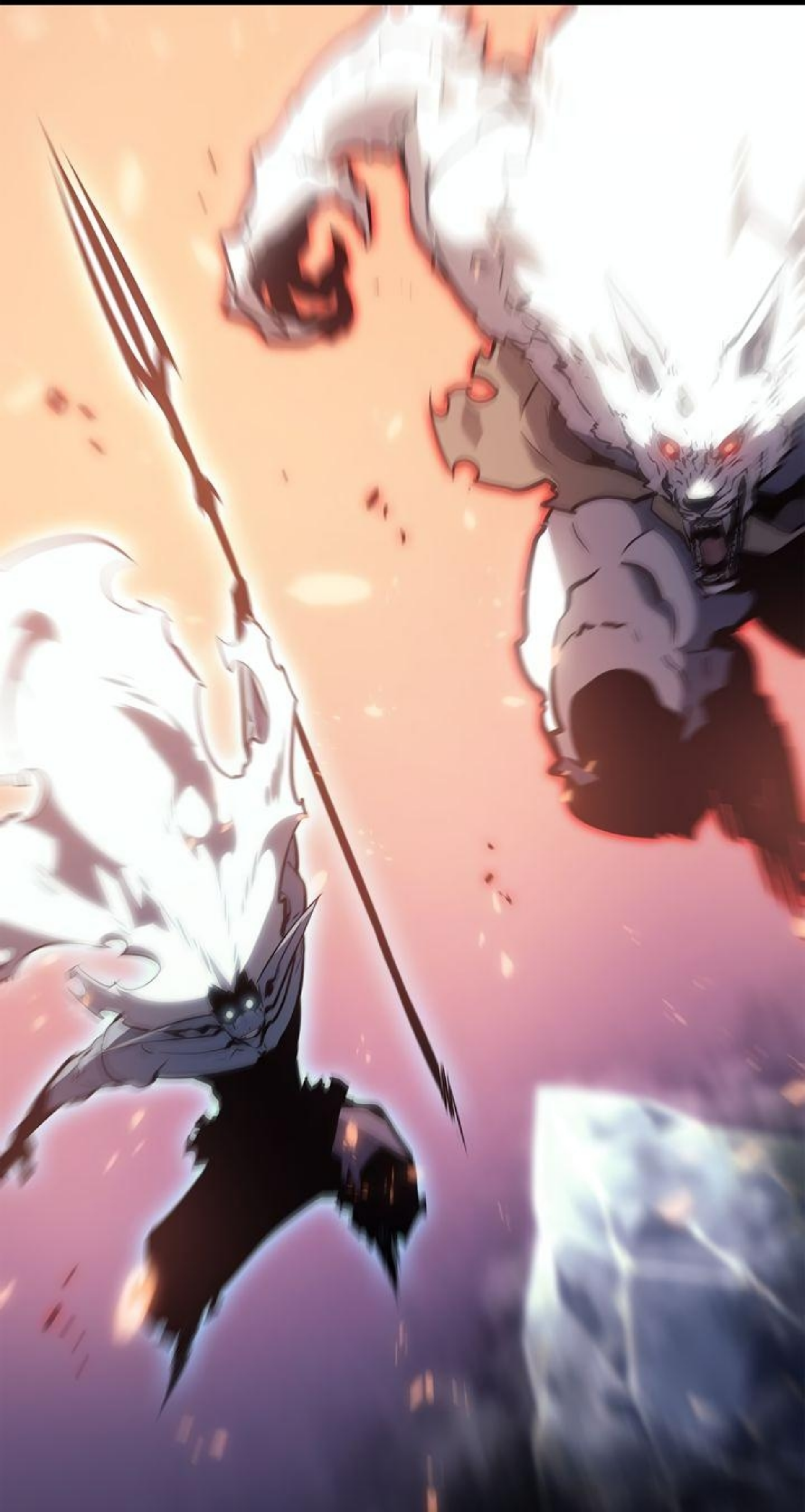
**BADUM**



WAIT, DON'T  
TELL ME,...!

NO,  
THAT CANNOT  
HAPPEN.

WE CANNOT  
HAVE THE TRUE KING  
DESCEND AFTER THE  
FAKE ONE HAS DIED!  
WE MUST STOP THAT  
FROM HAPPENING AT  
ALL COSTS!















THWACK



KA

BOOM







IS TO LAY A  
FINGER ON  
THIS CHILD.





IN ANOTHER  
WORLD,

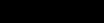
THERE WAS LIGHT AND DARKNESS AT A TIME WHEN NOTHING ELSE EXISTED.

THE "ABSOLUTE BEING" SPLIT THE LIGHT TO CREATE MESSENGERS OF GOD,

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הנהגתו של המושל החדש, משה דיין, הייתה שונה לחלוטין מזו של משה שרת. דיין, שהיה אז בן 37, היה איש צבא, קצין מילואים, ונחשב לאחד מהאנשים החשובים ביותר בממשלה. הוא היה איש צדק, חכם, ונחשב לאחד מהאנשים החשובים ביותר בממשלה. הוא היה איש צדק, חכם, ונחשב לאחד מהאנשים החשובים ביותר בממשלה.

כך הוא נשקף מכל תחומי המחקר והפיתוח במערכת  
הממשלית, ובפרט בתחום המדעי.



AND SPI  
THE DARKNE  
CREATE THE

## CREATE THE MONARCH



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## ARCHS WHO LEO DESTROY

THE MONARCHS WHO  
WERE BORN TO REIGN



WERE DOWN TO DESTROY,  
THE WORLD...



...AND THE MESSENGERS  
WHO WERE BORN TO MAINTAIN  
IT... KILLED EACH OTHER'S  
SOLDIERS TO NO END.

EXHAUSTED BY THE  
NEVER-ENDING WAR,

THE GREATEST  
FRAGMENT OF BRILLIANT  
LIGHT ASKED THE  
ABSOLUTE BEING...



OH, ABSOLUTE BEING.  
WHY HAVE YOU NOT  
HELPED YOUR FAITHFUL  
SUBJECTS?





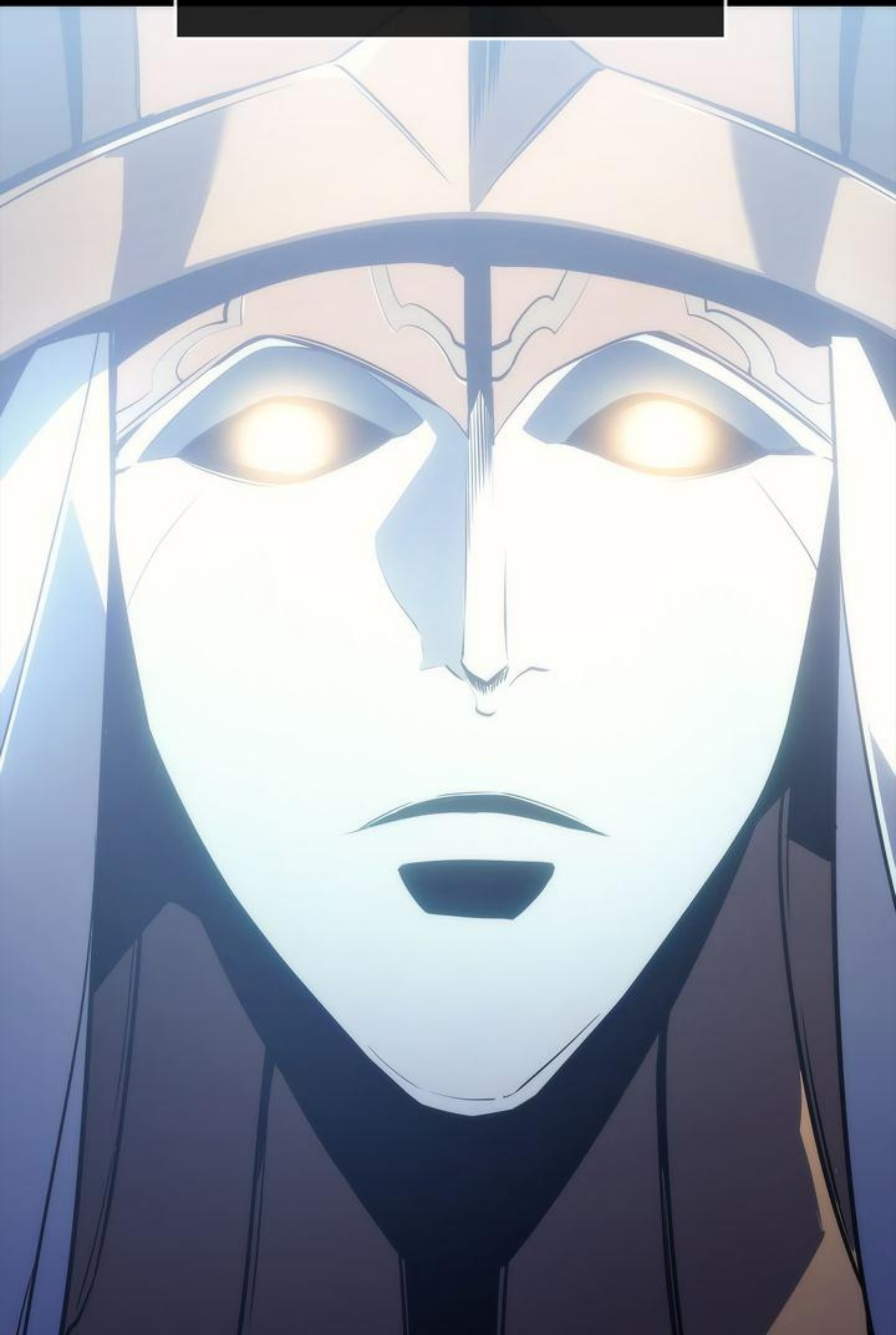


CAN YOU NOT HEAR  
THE SCREAMS OF THE  
COUNTLESS SOLDIERS  
WHO HAVE DIED IN  
YOUR HONOR?

PLEASE LEND  
US THE STRENGTH  
TO ERADICATE OUR  
FOES.

WE SHALL BEHEAD  
THEM AND OFFER  
YOU THEIR HEADS  
AS TRIBUTE.

BUT THE ABSOLUTE  
BEING DID NOT  
RESPOND.





THAT IS WHEN THE  
FRAGMENTS OF BRILLIANT  
LIGHT REALIZED THAT...

...THEIR BATTLE AGAINST  
THE MONARCHS WAS  
NOTHING BUT A SOURCE OF  
ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE  
ABSOLUTE BEING...

...AND THAT THE  
ABSOLUTE BEING DID  
NOT WANT THE WAR  
TO END.



EVERYONE  
WORSHIPPED  
THE ABSOLUTE  
BEING.

EVERYONE BELLOWED  
BATTLE CRIES FOR THE  
ABSOLUTE BEING.

EVERYONE SWORE  
ALLEGIANCE TO THE  
ABSOLUTE BEING WITH  
THEIR BLOOD AND  
LIFE.

UNTIL NOW.



***THOSE WHO FAIL TO OBEY  
THESE COMMANDMENTS  
SHALL NOT BE SPARED.***

BUT THE NUMBER OF LIVES  
THAT WERE LOST VASTLY  
OUTNUMBERED THOSE WHO  
OVERCAME DEATH.



DEATH AWAITED EVEN  
THOSE WHO ABIDED BY  
THE COMMANDMENTS.





THE WAR WILL  
NEVER END AS LONG  
AS THE ABSOLUTE  
BEING EXISTS.



THE FRAGMENTS  
OF BRILLIANT LIGHT  
DREW THEIR SWORDS  
TO PUT AN END TO THE  
MEANINGLESS  
FIGHT.

IT WAS A  
REBELLION.





POINT

THAT IS  
MY FORMER  
SELF.

I WAS THE ONLY  
MESSENGER OF  
GOD WHO STOOD  
UP AGAINST THE  
REBELS.





BUT MY ARMY  
WAS A PITIFUL  
SIGHT.



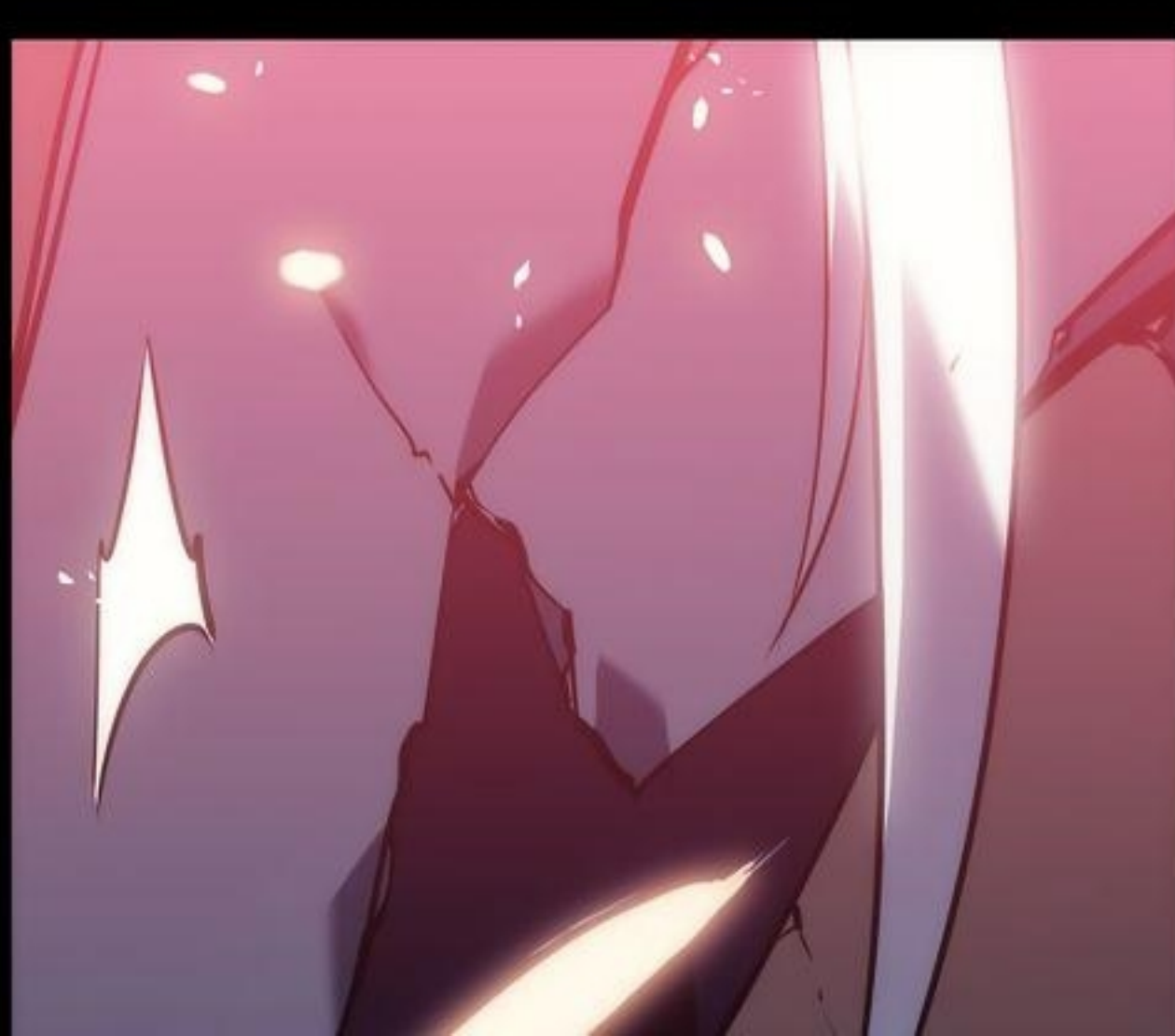
THEY WERE  
NO MATCH FOR  
THE ALLIED  
MESSENGERS.

I THOUGHT  
THE END HAD  
COME.

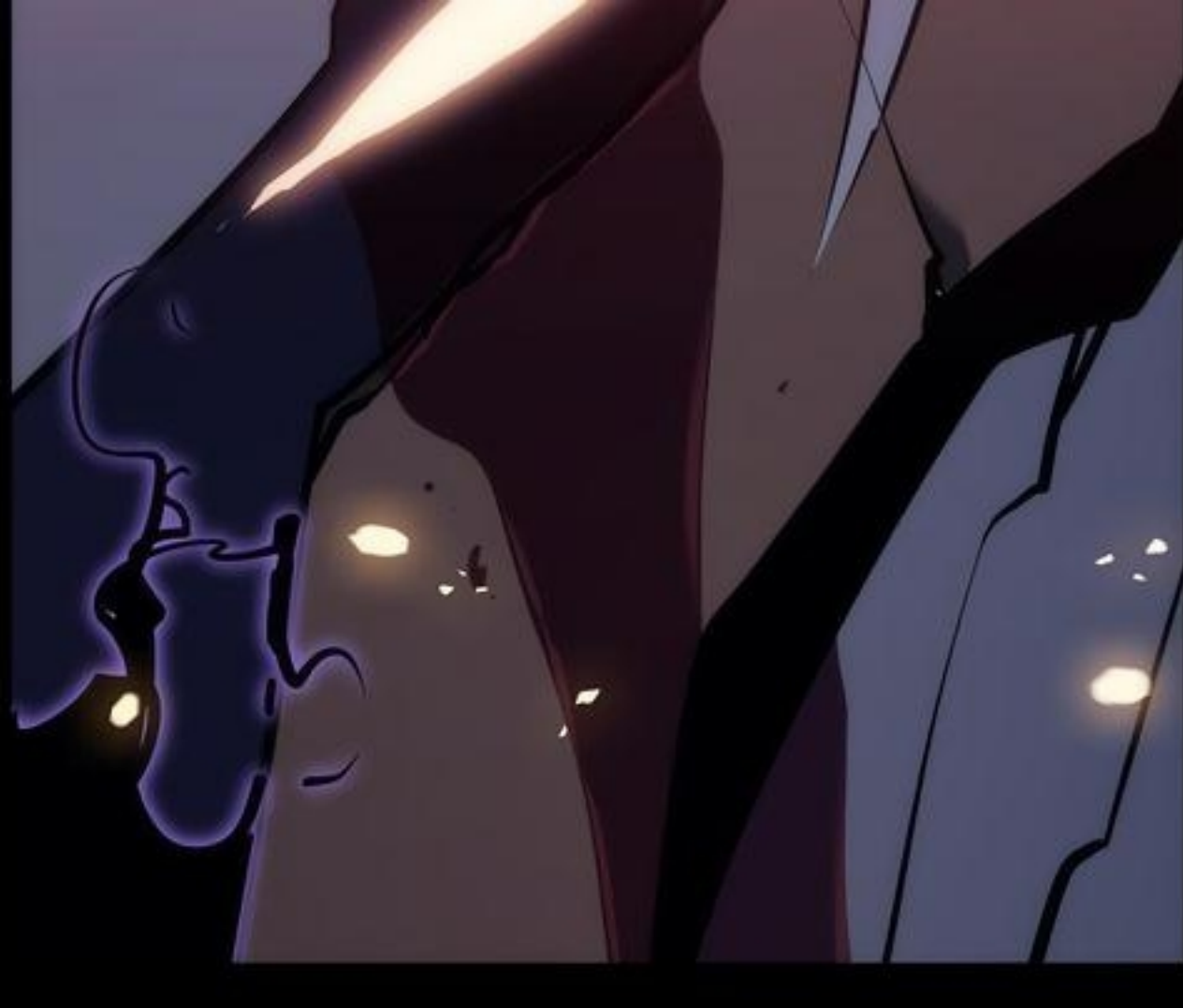




BUT WHEN I  
OPENED MY EYES  
IN THE DARK...







...I LEARNED THAT  
THE ABSOLUTE BEING  
HAD HIDDEN A POWER  
WITHIN ME.



FSHHH







*ARISE.*











I LED MY  
NEW ARMY INTO  
BATTLE.



HOWEVER...









...BY THE TIME I  
RETURNED, EVERYTHING  
WAS ALREADY OVER.









To Be Continued...

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